

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA
PHILADELPHIA DIVISION

In re: TAMEKA SINGLETON)	
<u>Debtors</u>)	
)	CHAPTER 13
SANTANDER CONSUMER USA INC.)	
<u>Moving Party</u>)	Case No.: 21-10229 (MDC)
)	
v.)	Hearing Date: 12-20-22 at 10:30 AM
)	
TAMEKA SINGLETON)	11 U.S.C. 362
DEMETRIUS J. SINGLETON)	
<u>Respondents</u>)	11 U.S.C. 1301
)	
KENNETH E. WEST)	
<u>Trustee</u>)	
)	

MOTION FOR RELIEF FROM THE AUTOMATIC STAY AND CO-DEBTOR STAY

TO THE HONORABLE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE:

Comes now Santander Consumer USA, Inc. (“Santander”) filing this its Motion For Relief From The Automatic Stay And Co-Debtor Stay (“Motion”), and in support thereof, would respectfully show:

1. That on January 29, 2021, Tameka Singleton filed a voluntary petition under Chapter 13 of the Bankruptcy Code.
2. This Court has jurisdiction of the Motion by virtue of 11 U.S.C. 105, 361, 362, 1301 and 28 U.S.C. 157 and 1334.
3. On October 5, 2019, the debtor and the co-debtor Demetrius J. Singleton entered into a retail installment contract for the purchase of a 2016 Toyota Corolla bearing vehicle identification number 2T1BURHE7GC599285. The contract was assigned to Santander Consumer USA Inc. and the debtor(s) became indebted to Santander in accordance with the terms of same. Santander Consumer USA Inc. is designated as first lien holder on the title to the vehicle and holds a first purchase money security interest in the vehicle. A true copy of the contract and title inquiry to the vehicle are annexed hereto as Exhibits A and B.

4. As of November 17, 2022, the debtor's account with Santander had a net loan balance of \$13,581.61.

5. According to the November 2022 NADA Official Used Car Guide, the vehicle has a current retail value of \$12,850.00.

6. The debtor's account is past due from August 19, 2022 to November 19, 2022 with arrears in the amount of \$1,838.24.

7. Santander Consumer USA Inc. alleges that the automatic stay and co-debtor stay should be lifted for cause under 11 U.S.C. 362(d)(1) and 11 U.S.C. 1301 in that Santander lacks adequate protection of its interest in the vehicle as evidenced by the following:

(a) The debtor is failing to make payments to Santander and is failing to provide Santander with adequate protection.

WHEREFORE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Santander Consumer USA Inc. respectfully requests that upon final hearing of this Motion, (1) the automatic stay will be terminated as to Santander to permit Santander to seek its statutory and other available remedies; (2) that the co-debtor stay will be terminated as to Santander to permit Santander to seek its statutory and other available remedies; (3) that the stay and co-debtor stay terminate upon entry of this Order pursuant to the authority granted by Fed.R.Bank.P., Rule 4001(a)(3) and (4) Santander be granted such other and further relief as is just.

Respectfully submitted,

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